

It's News Here!

St. Mary's Style Show

Don't miss out on the first Spring Fling of 1978 in Grayling. It's the St. Mary's Annual Style Show on Saturday, March 18th at 11:00 a.m. It will be the first fantastic affair in the new St. Mary's Family Center located at Spruce and Lake Streets.

There are still tickets available at \$4.00 per person, which includes a delicious luncheon salad, from Rose Keusch at 348-9761, Ruth O'Mara, 348-8352, or at the Scrub-Board Laundry-mat at 348-8521.

There will be something of interest for every man, woman and child. There will be the total look for the family. Some of our new little citizens starting from three years old, our dynamic teen-agers, our lovely mothers and dads and most special of all - our Grandmothers. Each model will be showing fashions and accessories from participating local merchants on our very own runway. Don Smith has provided a lovely decorated riser so each model can be viewed with ease.

Our fashions will be described by one of our lovely models, Mrs. Pat Ziminski, and at different intervals throughout the show she will be giving out door prizes donated by our very generous Grayling Merchants.

Coffee, Tea, Rolls and Butter will accompany a delicious Chicken Salad which will be served just prior to the start of the show.

So how can you miss this year's first sneak preview of what's happening in fashions for Spring and Summer 1978. See you at St. Mary's Family Center Saturday, night.

Construction Bonding O.K.'d

By Kirtland Trustees

A new General Services Center along with other related renovation projects, is in the offing at Kirtland Community College. At a meeting held last Thursday night, the Board of Trustees approved the issuing of \$2.5 million in bonds, the college's share of the project which will cost an estimated \$3.5 million. The State has issued the college a \$1 million grant covering the balance.

The project involves the construction of a 29,000 sq. ft. General Services Center which will be used to accommodate almost 100 Kirtland students and 49 administrators and other employees. In addition to the new building, the overall plan involves renovation of other present facilities, creating over 800 additional square feet for instructional purposes.

The College, which serves Crawford as well as Roscommon, Ogemaw and Oscoda counties, has had no campus construction since 1972 and the expansion plan is expected to alleviate current crowded conditions and allow for future growth.

The project will result in a millage increase estimated at .76 mills, the exact amount to be determined after the bonds have been sold.

Equal Rights for Handicapped ... Easter Seal Goal

When the Easter Seal Society began under the watchful eye of concerned Ohioans in 1919, handicapped children and adults had little to look forward to in life. Their parents hid them away from the public eye, consumed by misplaced guilt and shame. Through the combined efforts of Easter Seal volunteers and public health nurses, parents were persuaded to seek medical care and rehabilitation for their disabled children and progress was made in restoring the use of impaired limbs.

[See Easter Seal on page 11]

40 at 8 Fish Fry Friday

On Friday, March 17th, the 40 at 8 Volture 1495 will be serving a Fish Fry at the American Legion Post 106. Serving will take place from 4 to 8 p.m. with proceeds going to benefit nurses training. The cost for adults is \$3.00, children \$2.00. Come on out and get a great meal and benefit a great cause.

Homeowners Bill Becomes Law

LANSING — Governor William G. Milliken has signed into law a bill allowing homeowners to improve their property without paying an immediate penalty in the form of increased assessments and higher property taxes.

The measure removes the limitation of \$4,000 and three consecutive years for the exemption of normal repairs, replacement and maintenance.

Instead, it provides that the excluded items could not be considered until the property was sold.

It excludes normal repainting and replacement of dated or worn features as long as they are not part of a structural addition.

RIF Drive Far Short of Local Goal

Crawford County Reading is Fundamental has raised just \$200 to date toward its goal of \$3,000 for 1978. Its 1977 Operating Budget was \$2,400, 100% of that money was spent for free books for Grayling, Fredrick and Lovells area school-children. Donations can be made to: R.I.F., Grayling State Bank, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

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Winter Raising Havoc On Whitetails, Says DNR



by Joe Schrader

"This is the worst winter our whitetail deer have had to endure in the six years I've worked in Grayling." That statement summarizes the sentiments of Ray Perez, D.N.R. Wildlife Habitat Biologist, in describing the effect this year's bitter winter has had on our local wildlife. "No question about it," he continued, "this year's heavy snowfall and lack of feed has been extremely rough, especially on our deer herd."

Even though the bitter cold and deep snow has posed a serious problem for deer, other wildlife have been able to fare somewhat better. The ruffed grouse, or partridge, has survived well. "They burrow into the fluffy snow for insulation," explained Perez, "if they can find enough food, they make out alright." Squirrels find enough energy to scrounge around for their cache of acorns, stored months earlier in preparation for winter, and supplement their diet with bark and other available foodstuffs. They survive well too.

Turkeys, while scarce in the Crawford area, are abundant to the east near Mio, and, according to Perez, are fighting a losing battle in their fight for survival. There are a few known turkey flocks in Crawford County but no reported winter deaths so far. In other surrounding areas, though, particularly around Mio, turkey die-off due to this year's wintry blast is high. "The turkeys just can't navigate through heavy snow," explained Perez, "they can't scratch for food and as a result are unable to sustain body temperature so vital for survival."

But hardest hit of all is the whitetail deer, the elusive creature that attracts so many outdoormen to the woods in November, beset with that madly called "buck fever." A poor acorn crop, coupled with the almost waist-high snow, has proved deadly to our local deer population. "Through last year's Christmas Season," said Perez, "the deer herds were O.K., still healthy, but since then the heavy snow and scarcity of food has drained their strength." The current milder weather trend may help, (mild-er?), but the number of reported dead deer indicates without a doubt that winter has taken its toll.

Perez, now in his sixth year with the Dept. of Natural Resources, headquartered here in Grayling, services Kalkaska as well as Crawford County. Intimately familiar with all of his territory, he was able to identify areas of particular concern nearby. Bear Swamp, to the west of Lake Margrethe, has been a location where the incidence of deer starvation has been particularly acute. Surviving deer are considered in poor shape there, also. Any number of whitetails fatally stricken by starvation have been found north of M-72 West, near the area where Lake Margrethe borders the highway. Hardest hit, though, are deer residing in Kalkaska County, in the area where Black Creek and Manistee River intersect. "Deer there are stripping bark from trees, even cherry trees," said Perez, "something extremely rare for them to do." The D.N.R. currently has a cutting crew in the area in a desperate attempt to alleviate the hunger that deer living there are experiencing.

[See Whitetails on page 16]

County GOP To Meet

The Crawford County Republican Committee will meet Tuesday, March 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the Lovells Town Hall.

Bob Wise, candidate for the Michigan State Senate, 37th District, will be present to meet with all interested persons.

Boxers Note

Would the boys who have any boxing equipment (hand wraps, etc.), and are not participating in boxing please return them to Delbert Case.

Varied Program on Stage Sunday

The many faces of the Grayling Senior Band take the stage Sunday afternoon, March 19, at 3:00 p.m. Included will be the pieces performed at this year's District Festival, songs from TV, music from commercials, a piccolo solo, a song written only for drums, a cornet solo, an appearance by the GHS Stage Band and a song written by a local student. Also, there will be a special surprise, but you may be surprised at just who is surprised. Hope we'll see you there this Sunday at 3:00 p.m. in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Admission is \$1.00 for adults and \$.50 for students. Sixth grade and younger students who are with their parents will be [See Senior Band on page 16].



[Joe Schrader Photo]

Serenity of Spring on the pond ...

Parent Effectiveness Series Scheduled

by Merrily Baldwin

Extension Home Economist

A series of Parent Effectiveness classes will begin Tuesday, April 4 in Grayling. The five part series is a part of the Cooperative Extension Service Family Living Education Program. Merrily Baldwin, Extension Home Economist, will conduct the classes which are open to the public.

The series centers on improving the relationship between parent and child through the use of three specific communication skills. Simply stated, sessions cover how to listen so your child will keep on talking

to you, how to talk so your child listens, and how to resolve conflict so neither parent nor child loses.

Of course, other topics of concern to parents will be discussed. Discipline often becomes a problem when a young child begins asserting herself. Perhaps some participants will be interested in taking a close look at a child's self-image. Understanding child growth and development is essential to any discussion of parent-child relationships.

All classes will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., beginning April 4 and continuing April 11,

18, 25, and May 2. To enroll in the class, contact the Cooperative Extension Service. Enrollments will be contacted with details as to exact meeting location in the Grayling area. There is no enrollment fee.

While it is best for both parents to attend, it is not required. Reference for the classes is "Parent Effectiveness Training", by Dr. Thomas Gordon.

Brochures further describing the series are available at the Cooperative Extension Service office, County Building Annex, Roscommon and Mio.

Food-Drug Expert Visits Grayling

By Joe Schrader

Measures the U. S. Food and Drug Administration are employing to protect the consumer was the subject discussed by Diane Place, Consumer Affairs Officer, when she addressed a noon-luncheon group last Wednesday at the Grayling House Restaurant.

Ms. Place's presentation covered a number of subjects ranging from laetrile recognition to cosmetics. She pointed out that the Food and Drug Administration is a governmental regulatory agency designed to protect you, the consumer. The agency has the author-

ity, she said, to recall products from store shelves; seize them if voluntary cooperation is not obtained from the manufacturer; or instigate criminal charges in the case of serious violations of the law.

Ms. Place's job is directed at public relations. "I'm here to keep the public informed," she explained. During her talk, she touched on a number of subjects including

ing drugs, cosmetics, products that could emit radiation, animal feed, mercury vapor lamps, hair dyes, sale of so-called nutrition foods, food coloring identification, "do-it-yourself" pregnancy kits, micro-wave ovens and color TV sets. A question and answer period followed her presentation.

Her visit to Grayling was arranged by Merrily Baldwin, Extension Home Economist, Michigan State Cooperative Extension Service.

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[Courtesy of Chuck Fick]

March	Hi	Lo	Snow
7	30	-15	25
8	28	-15	24.5
9	36	-8	23.0
10	40	-5	22.0
11	39	27	21.0
12	41	25	19.5
13	39	21	19.0

14 - Snowing!!!
For 79 days the temperature never got above 32 degrees

Warning

Inactive Duty Training will be conducted by units of Michigan Air National Guard during the period 15 thru 16 and 21 thru 25 Mar 78.

The Air to Ground Range which is located east of Guthrie and north of County Road 612, will be in use during this period.

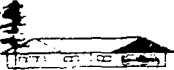
This range will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of this area.

Help the Handicapped Buy Easter Seals



SOLDIER OF THE QUARTER—During ceremonies conducted on 5 March 1978, Specialist Fourth Class Marshall W. Atkinson, was presented a certificate of recognition for being the outstanding "Soldier of the Quarter" (Oct 77 through Dec 77) in the 1438th Engineer Detachment, Camp Grayling, MI. Presenting the certificate is Captain Terry R. Baker, Commanding Officer of the 1438th Engineer Detachment.

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Reward Offered For Information On Eagle Shot in Alcona County

LANSING — The Michigan Department of Natural Resources is on the lookout for an eagle killer — and you may be able to help.

DNR Conservation Officer Jay Larson of this city has discovered the remains of a slain eagle — killed with a single BB shot to the brain — last week in a wooded area of Alcona County.

Larson doubts the shooting was an accident and has begun an investigation to find the killer. Upon conviction, could be fined \$5,000 or imprisoned for

up to a year, or both. Penalties are doubled upon conviction of a second offense.

Citizens with information about the killing are asked to call Larson at the DNR's Mid District Office (517/826-3211, not toll-free), any local conservation officer, or the DNR's toll-free conservation law violation hotline: 1-800-292-7890.

The DNR notes that the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service can pay up to a \$2,500 reward to citizens whose help leads to conviction of an eagle killer.

District Court

The following appeared before Judge Francis L. Walsh in the 63rd District Court last week.

Richard Allen Wakeley, 22, of Grayling demanded a preliminary examination and was bound over to Circuit Court on charges of unarmed robbery. A \$5,000 cash/surety bond was set. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint February 28, 1978 for the alleged crime.

John Alvin Hoffman, 23, of Roscommon waived preliminary examination and was bound over to Circuit Court on 1 count of felonious assault and 1 count of carrying a concealed weapon. A \$1,000 personal bond was set. He was arrested for the alleged crime October 14, 1977 by the Sheriff's Department.

James Lee Kowlin, 20, of Grayling waived preliminary examination and was bound over to Circuit Court on 1 count of assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder, and 1 count of carrying a concealed weapon. A \$2,000 cash/surety bond was set. He was arrested on a citizen's complaint on July 13, 1977 for the alleged crime.

John Sirvalis, 23, of Troy pleaded guilty to the charge of unlawful use of marijuana and was fined \$205.00 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Department February 19, 1977.

David Earl Lawe, 17, of Grayling pleaded guilty to the charge of unlawful use of marijuana and was fined \$205 or 30 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Department on March 6, 1978.

Dennis Thomas Stokes, 26 of Grayling, pleaded guilty to the charge of careless driving and was fined \$35.00 or 4 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Department on February 26, 1978.

Ronald Marcus Latusek, 19, of Grayling pleaded guilty to the charge of impaired driving and was fined \$185.00 or 14 days in jail. He was arrested by the Sheriff's Department on March 19, 1977.

Michael J. Dippre, 18, of Roscommon pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal possession of a white-tail deer. He was fined \$108 or 10 days in jail and ordered to pay \$100 restitution. Dippre was arrested by the Conservation Department on November 9, 1977.

Randle Jay Meoak, 28, of Frederic pleaded guilty to a charge of violation of safety inspection for a pistol. He was fined \$65.00 or 7 days in jail. Meoak was arrested by the Grayling State Police on September 9, 1977.

Donald L. Millikin, 20, of Grayling pleaded guilty to a charge of disorderly person under Grayling Ordinance #4. He was put on probation for 6 months and ordered to pay \$50 attorney fees. Millikin was arrested September 21, 1977 by the Grayling State Police.

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FIFTH ANNUAL MAR LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE—Over two hundred members of the Michigan Association of Realtors representing 48 Realtor Boards, met at Longs Banquet and Convention Center in Lansing. On the program were Senator Patrick McCollough (D-Deerborn), Representative William R. Bryant (R-Grosse Pointe) and Representative John Engler (R-Mt. Pleasant).

Workshops were held throughout the afternoon stressing the Legislative process and the importance of more citizens "getting involved." Also included, was a complete up-date on Legislation affecting other critical issues, such as, Property Tax, School Financing, Single Business Tax, Tax Limitation and Land Use.

Discussions continued at an evening reception with many of the Michigan Legislators participating. Representative Ralph Ostling of the 103rd District is shown with Clyde Borchers and John Naour with their spouses, who were representing the Water Wonderland Board of Realtors which is composed of Cheboygan, Otsego and Crawford Counties.

Bits O' Talk

by Fay Bovee

Jim Steere of Northern Michigan University, spent his spring break in Colorado where he spent the week enjoying skiing with other Grayling folks. Stuart Fowler, Mark McNally, and John Rolfe.

Dick Joseph and his roommate from the U of M spent their spring break in Vail, Col. Mark Steere also joined them for their ski trip.

We were informed by Marianne Knapp that her uncle, Frank May, of Midland (formerly of Grayling) was badly injured when he was kicked in the head by a horse that he was exercising. He has been released from the intensive care unit in Midland Hospital but is still hospitalized.

Mary Liz McNamara spent her spring break from the U of M with her roommate, Nancy Dent, in Atlanta, Ga. P. J. McNamara was home the previous week from Ferris for his vacation and Mike McNamara is home from Central Michigan this week.

April Fool's Day Sock-Hop

On Saturday, April 1, there will be an April Fool's Day Sock-Hop at the American Legion Hall for the benefit of the "Susan Smith Fund."

Come as you were (optional). Tickets are available for \$2.50 at the Grayling Restaurant, Golden Touch Beauty Salon, Grayling Pharmacy, Tom Shrans Plumbing and Heating Supply, Little Cansers or The Village Shop.

Federal Register Notice For Notice of Intent

United States Department of Agriculture
Soil Conservation Service

Village of Frederic Measure, Michigan
Huron Pines Resource Conservation
And Development Area

Intent Not to Prepare an Environmental
Impact Statement

Pursuant to Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969; the Council on Environmental Quality Guidelines (40 CFR Part 1500); and the Soil Conservation Service Guidelines (7 CFR Part 650); the Soil Conservation Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, gives notice that an environmental impact statement is not being prepared for the Village of Frederic Measure, Crawford County, Michigan.

The environmental assessment of this federally assisted action indicates that the project will not cause significant adverse local, regional, or national impacts on the environment. As a result of these findings, Mr. Arthur H. Cratty, State Conservationist, has determined that the preparation and review of an environmental impact statement are not needed for this project.

The measure concerns a plan for flood prevention. The planned works of improvement include the installation of approximately 2,790 feet of diversion channel, 3,015 feet of grassed waterway, 380 feet of reinforced concrete outlet pipe, and 20 culverts at private and public road crossings. Total construction costs are approximately \$32,500 which are 100 percent RC&D funds.

The notice of intent not to prepare an environmental impact statement has been forwarded to the Environmental Protection Agency. The basic data developed during the environmental assessment are on file and may be reviewed by contacting Mr. Arthur H. Cratty, State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, 517-372-1910 Ext. 242. An environmental impact appraisal has been prepared and sent to various Federal, State, and local agencies and interested parties. A limited number of copies of the environmental impact appraisal are available to fill single copy requests at the above address.

No administrative action on implementation of the proposal will be taken until 30 days after the date of this publication. Dated: March 6, 1978.

Arthur H. Cratty, State Conservationist

Frederic Township Minutes

Regular meeting called to order by the Supervisor on February 14, 1978.

Members present: H. Mertes, Middleton, Harmer and Leng.

Absent: J. Mertes

Citizens present: Betty Sajdak, Barb Selesky, Bernie and Barb Hinkle.

Clerk minutes were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read and approved. Vouchers 2068 through 2102 were approved.

Carl Stand, Buzz Long and Russ Shepherd of the Huron Pines Resources presented the Flood Prevention Measure for the Township of Frederic. After discussion, A. Leng made a motion to approve the Village of Frederic Flood Prevention Measure Plan #26-6003-120, also requesting a copy of Act #62. Second by Harmer. Approved.

Old Business: A correction to the resolution of December 13th concerning the Township Compensation Commission to meet should read: shall convene on the 3rd Monday of December 1977 unless changed by the Township Board.

Mr. Dailey, Chairman of the Compensation Board Comm. presented the salaries for the Township Supervisor, Treasurer, Clerk and Constable. After discussion Leng made a motion to accept as presented. Second by Harmer. Approved. Copies on file in the Clerk's and Supervisor's offices.

The Fire Chief requested a school for firemen from the University of Michigan, approximate cost is \$200.00. Middleton made a motion to approve the school. Second by Harmer. Approved.

The Fire Chief reported that a 1976 Dodge Van Ambulance, fully equipped for \$11,502.00 had been shown to him. He stated that this was the best one he had seen and was right for the Twp. Delivery date sometime in March. Harmer made a motion to approve purchase. Second by Middleton. All approved.

Vicla Middleton, representing the Hobby Club requested the Township Park for the 2nd week of August for the Homecoming. Leng made a motion to approve. Second by Harmer. Approved.

Letter from Roy Papenfus of the Crawford Co. Zoning Bd. was read requesting representation from the Frederic Twp. Three citizens requested their names be submitted. Betty Sajdak, Barb Selesky and Bernie Hinkle. The clerk to notify Mr. Papenfus.

A motion was made and approved to hire Dipsinski to audit the Township books.

A motion was made and approved to have one constable for the township.

No more business. Meeting adjourned at 9:26 p.m.

Mildred Harmer, Frederic Twp. Clerk
Meeting minutes are subject to change as they have not been approved.

Road Commission Minutes

March 3, 1978

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling. Chairman Millikin presiding. Members present, Commissioners LeRoy Millikin, Ervin F. Richter and Grover Cason. Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Secretary Lorna Bernard. Absent none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Cason supported by Comm. Richter that the minutes be approved as read. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

Voucher No. 137 covering Payroll in the amount of \$21337.61 and Vouchers No. 138-176 covering Materials in the amount of \$12148.14 were presented for approval. A motion was made by Comm. Richter, supported by Comm. Cason that the bills be allowed and warrants drawn in their respective amounts. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

A discussion was held on self insurance on Workmen's Compensation to be handled by the County Road Association of Michigan Authority. A questionnaire is to be answered.

A review was made of the proposed change in the road system; primarily if they add another type of road system to the existing systems.

There being no further business a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

LeRoy Millikin, Chairman
Lorna Bernard, Secretary

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GRAYLING, MICHIGAN — THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1978



From Our Corner....

It was a beautiful spring day yesterday ... this is only for our Snowbirds who leave us at the first sign of a frost in the fall.

You may now start packing for your return to your cousins in the northland — and from reports these past few months, we eagerly await your return to really find out how much golfing and sunning you experienced.

We had three storms ... 2 normal and the other, a double-decker, since then only sub-zero weather ... that's passed now, ole sol is too high in the sky. Chuck Fick tells us we had 79 straight days of below freezing temperatures.

With the letters we have been receiving, plus, questions ... of how come ... this is the first time in 10 years we have heard this much controversy over the hiring of a person.

We refer to the hiring of a daughter of one of the Road Commissioners.

We do not know any of the technicalities that enter into the hiring of persons for the jobs that open there.

In fact, we do not even know how come the Road Commissioners are appointed by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

From this experience, we're going to find out. What we have heard, and through the letters we have received ... our only comment is ... it was in bad taste.

We are trying to keep our ramblings short so we can fit in our little corner ... those lovely people who find the *Avalanche* ads pay off are pushing us out.

Grayling has many Irish people we are sure ... our problem was settling here and figuring as how we left Polish town for Danish town we would be secure ...

Not so ... the leprechaun just left with his parting words, "We hope you are in heaven a half hour before the devil knows you're dead" ...

That's not too bad for an Irishman to tell an old round head ... we have to wonder if he was also thinking of himself?

Mother Nature tossed us a curve ... Monday night we left with our corner complete, but then came Tuesday — through the night nearly 6 inches of that winter white stuff covered the county, closing schools and making driving hazardous ...

Oh well — we're still thinking spring ... the weatherman tells us the sun will shine Thursday.

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FISH FRY

Friday, March 17, 1978 - 4 to 8 p. m.

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Interesting Events in Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE *AVALANCHE* OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 YEARS AGO March 17, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fenton had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. John Booth and daughter, Andrea, of Grand Rapids.

The Raymond Slussers entertained the Robert Bogarts and children, Linda and Larry, of Vaughnsville, Ohio, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crawford and son Tommy spent the weekend of March 5th in Royal Oak.

Visiting the Douglas Hennings for the weekend were their daughter and family, the H. B. Fergusons and their two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Buron had as their weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ward and Ronnie and Diane of Port Huron.

Jim Kitchen returned home on Saturday after his release from the service on Friday. His mother Mrs. K. K. Kitchen, drove to Lansing to meet Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Blaine and Johnny are away on a two week's trip through the southern states.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bovee and family spent the weekend in Centerville visiting his brother, the Rev. Keith Bovee. On the way home they stopped in Big Rapids to visit George and Ruby Granger.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bobenmoyer and family and Mrs. Earl Broadbent spent Friday in Gaylord visiting Mrs. William Widrig and family.

Mrs. Frank Austin and son John of Ninde, Virginia, returned home Sunday after spending the week here visiting her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smeltzer, daughter and her friend of Ann Arbor, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson and family of Bear Lake, spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Edson.

Mrs. John Ludeman entertained a number of friends of the Misses Marian Millikin and Phyllis Randolph at a dinner party last Thursday evening. It was a belated birthday party in honor of the girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barber of Grayling have a baby girl, born March 14.

The Douglas Knuths of Grayling are the parents of a baby girl, born March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millikin of Grayling, have a baby boy, born March 9.

46 YEARS AGO March 17, 1932

Mrs. George Burke is a patient at Mercy Hospital suffering with an attack of flu. Mr. Burke also is a patient at the hospital with an attack of flu.

Mrs. James Williams, age

63, passed away at her home in South Branch Township Sunday night after an illness of several months. Mrs. Williams was a former resident of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Karnes, sons, Jack and Bob, of Flint visited at the home of Mrs. Karnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller for a few days. They returned to Flint Wednesday. Mrs. George Miller and son, George, Jr., accompanying them.

LaVerne Cushman, principal of Grayling High School for the past five years, has accepted a position as superintendent of the public schools of Britton, Lenawee County, for the next school year. While here Mr. Cushman, besides serving as principal of the high school, has been the athletic coach for the school and has turned out a number of winning teams, especially in basketball.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. A. J. Joseph entertained her bridge club at luncheon. Twelve ladies found their places at a long table centered with spring flowers. Tallies and prizes for bridge which followed the luncheon were carried out in St. Patrick's colors. Miss Margarette Bauman held the high score. Mrs. Emil Giegling and Mrs. Gordon Moffat were guests of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marshall entertained at a card party Thursday night for the benefit of the L. N. L. Pedro and pinocle were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Hattie Post and Mrs. Dora Wintery, for pinocle; Mrs. Sidney Robarge and Ben Pankow for Pedro. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Marshall.

George Schiabe reports that 325 tons of ice were put up at Lake Margrethe this year for Michigan National Guard purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Conner of Bay City are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Buggy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley and grandson, Sam, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark and son, Bobby, were in Vanderbilt Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Cooley's daughter, Mrs. D. E. Winer.

Miss Nadine McNeven was in Mackinaw Sunday and Monday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McNeven.

Stanley Matson of Flint, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Matson and family over the weekend.

69 YEARS AGO March 18, 1909

N. Mickelson shipped from his Lake View farm 45 head of cattle, 125 sheep and 1,000 bushels of wheat.

March left us last Friday, but got back Tuesday in good shape. A searching northwest wind, with snow and a sharp freezing temperature.

H. A. Bauman is home from his Menominee lumber camp, to enjoy the storm here with his family and friends.

Ex-Probate Judge, W. C. Johnson was up from Cheney, Monday, looking as though he was coming thru the winter in good shape.

John Powell and family has moved to Farwell, in Clare County, where he has accepted a position with a grocery house. He was not physically strong enough to wrestle with saw logs of lumber and met the vicissitudes of temperature here.

George Sorenson was called to Saginaw Wednesday to take charge of the remains of G. Lundquist who passed away Wednesday morning.

Crows have made their appearance here and our merchants are getting out their show cards for flowers and garden seeds. They must think spring is approaching.

The City Telephone bells are ringing merrily all over town. Nearly a hundred are already in and more coming. Our citizens are wondering how we succeeded without them before.

Bigger Kernals

Black walnut kernals will come out in much larger pieces if the nuts are soaked in boiling water for about 40 minutes before they're cracked.

The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

The False Prophet of Rev. 13:11-18 His Conduct

The false prophet of the last days will have power to mimic the giving of life: power over worship; power over the bodies of men and power over the world economy.

1. He will give life signs to an image of antichrist. "And he had power to give life, (or breath) unto the image of the beast ..." Just recently on television news, we observed a display of electronic equipment capable of reading words in an audible voice. Satan will use some sort of deceptive devices to convince the world that the image of antichrist has become alive.

2. All people regardless of wisdom, wealth or social class will be forced to receive a mark of identification upon their right hand and forehead. "And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads." If you question whether society will submit to such mass identification, pause to observe and meditate upon the social security card presently in your billfold or purse.

3. All commerce will be controlled by the mark of the beast. "And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name." Verse 17. People who do not worship the image of the beast

and receive his mark on their foreheads and hands will be forced into unemployment and hunger. What a terrible force hunger is on the father and mother of a family! What terrible pressures Satan will use to force the world to bow down and worship before him.

Conclusion: "Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred three score and six." Verse 18. The number of the beast is 666. Six is the number of man in the Bible. Three sixes may picture the satanic trinity, each exalting man to his highest possibility, yet falling short of the perfect number seven. May God cause each of us to receive Jesus Christ now, before any of us are thrust into the Great Tribulation and the terrors which will follow. (adv.)

Pastor Barnett

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnstone, 1614 Vermont, Lansing, announce the engagement of their daughter, Diane of 405½ East Rockford, Lansing, to Ralph Holland of Grayling. Ralph is the son of Stewart Holland of Grayling, and Mrs. Caroline Scott of Orange City, Florida. A December 2nd wedding is planned.

Hot Lunch Menu

March 20th through 24th
Monday: Hot Dogs, Relishes, Baked Beans, Fruit.
Tuesday: Chili, Crackers, Bread and Peanut Butter, Fruit.
Wednesday: Turkey Gravy with Mashed Potatoes, Jelly with Fruit, Bread and Butter.
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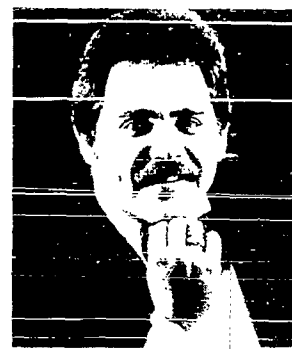
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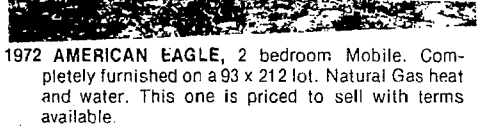
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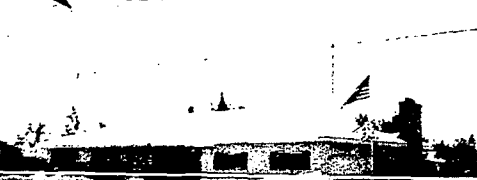
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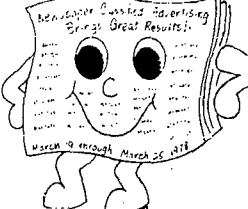
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BAKERY MOVES—On the 27th of February the Goodales Bakery opened at their new location at 500 Norway. The Jim Gray family of Grayling were there to watch the first batch of goodies being made. Jim Gray then bought the first dollars worth of baked goods made at the new location.

Guided Tours In Warbler Areas To Begin In May

Again this year, nesting areas of the Kirtland's warbler will be posted against public entry during the nesting season, according to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS). The Service said the endangered warbler needs this added protection to help ensure nesting success.

Once the critical nesting period is over, though, guided tours will be conducted. Tours to warbler nesting areas will be available from Grayling and Mio, Mich., daily at 7 a.m. and 11 a.m. starting May 15.

The Mio tour will be conducted through July 24, but will not be available on Wednesdays. The Grayling tours will be offered seven days a week but will terminate July 8.

Large groups interested in touring the areas should contact FWS well in advance of the planned tour dates. The Service says. The Kirtland's warbler is more readily viewed by small groups. In the past years the best opportunities for viewing the warbler occurred prior to July.

Tour participants must provide their own binoculars. The Service added. Special accommodations will not be made for persons intent on photographing the endangered warbler. Nor will tape recorders be allowed during the tours.

Pre-season tour information prior to April 23, may be obtained by writing or calling the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Animal Damage Control, c/o Michigan Department of Agriculture, Plant Industry Division, Fifth Floor, Lewis Cass Building, P.O. Box 30017, Lansing, Mich., 48909 (517/373-8033).

In season, after April 23, information may be obtained by contacting the assigned U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Biologist, c/o Michigan DNR, District Headquarters, P.O. Box 507, Grayling, MI 49738 (517-348-6371). Or interested persons may contact the U.S. Forest Service, District Ranger, Huron National Forest, Mio, MI, 48667 (517/826-3717).

Mr. Orman is survived by four children, including his daughter, Mrs. Josephine McCabe of Grayling, one sister and over 40 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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May - Huggard Vows Spoken

Miss Debbie May, daughter of Mrs. Martin (Beatrice) Tinker of Grayling and Frank May of Midland, became the bride of Dennis Huggard of Midland on Friday, March 10, in Midland. Following a few days honeymoon here, the newlyweds are making their home on Prairie Creek Road, Midland.

Mrs. Huggard was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Monday evening at the Clifton Papendick residence. Hostesses were the Misses Charlene and Janet Papendick and Rhea Nielsen. Sixteen ladies were present.

Games were played with Rena Neilson and Retta Handolph winning the prizes. The guest of honor received many lovely and useful gifts.

Editor's Mailbox

Crawford County Avalanche
Grayling, Michigan 49738
March 14, 1978

Dear Editor:

Hats off to the composers of the letters in the March 9, 1978 issue of the Avalanche regarding the Crawford County Road Commission. I certainly am in agreement with them.

When I was employed for the Road Commission in 1977 I had a relative who applied for a position, and there was an opening at the time. He was informed, in no uncertain terms, that relatives could not be hired. I also remember a young man who was in need of employment and put in his application. He returned to the office several times to inquire about a position, however, because he happened to be a son-in-law of the Engineer Manager, there was no way he could be hired.

My question is: Why can Commissioner Richter hire his "son-in-law", who was not even a local resident, and Commissioner Millikin hire his "daughter"? Without a doubt, I would consider them relatives!

What kind of silly games are they playing? It must be some accomplishment to change a policy just to satisfy personal desires. I believe that is called politics.

The rumor is "that the Commissioners want someone around to keep them informed of what's happening". Do we want informers or workers? However, as I've stated, this is a rumor.

I am happy I left the Crawford County Road Commission on my own volition. By this time I am sure I would have been dismissed!

Sincerely,

Marion J. Shirkey

Calendar of Events

March 22: Past Matrons will meet at Irene Petersons at 7:30 p.m.

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ODE TO A LOST BUFFALO

The night was dark and dreary and Mitch was on his way. To bring the bison to Grayling. So that Susie could have her "Day". The trailer followed true and stright Behind the car that night. But the tailgate had a faulty catch. It wasn't hooked too tight. The catch broke loose and down it came. The buffalo jumped for free. Now where he's roamed or where he's at is still a mystery.

Susie Needs Your Help Comm.

Use Hearing — April 1, 1978

Proposed Use Hearing for Federal Revenue Sharing Funds, entitlement period October 1, 1977-June 30, 1979. Proposed use of Antirecession money from October 1, 1977-June 30, 1979. At the proposed hearing citizens will have an opportunity to make written and oral comments on possible use of funds. Proposed use hearing will be held April 1, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. at the Beaver Creek Township Hall.

/s/Virginia Millikin
Beaver Creek Township Clerk

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Middle School Wrestling

The Grayling Middle School Wrestling team successfully defended its title at the third annual Invitational Wrestling Tournament this past Saturday. The local squad amassed a total of 228 1/2 points followed by Benzie Central with 110 points. Charlevoix, 90 points; Clare 50 points; and Whittemore-Prescott with 38 1/2. Out of sixteen weight classes, Grayling took 9 first places in the 7th and 8th grade category. First place medal winners were Jeff Walch

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at 66 lbs., Dave Pettit at 101 lbs., Tim Ferrigan 115 lbs., Joe Ferrigan 129 lbs., Darrel Babbitt 136 lbs., Kevin Dean 145 lbs., Chip Durga 155 lbs., George Masella 167 lbs. and Mark Willoughby at unlimited.

Second place finishers in the 7th and 8th grades included Joe Moody at 80 lbs., Jamie Radebaugh at 106 lbs. and Paul Brackenbury at 122 lbs.

In the sixth grade competition, first place ribbon winners were Dave Metzer at 66 lbs., Scott DeCrick at 73 lbs., Jeff Newberry at 87 lbs., Dave Brooks at 101 lbs. and David Dean at 115 lbs.

This Saturday, March 18th the Middle School Wrestling team travels to Charlevoix for a twenty team invitational.

Spring Begins on March 20 Followed by Early Easter

ANN ARBOR — Spring begins this year at 6:34 p.m., March 20.

"The spring season is said to begin when the sun reaches the vernal equinox, its crossing the equator on its way north," University of Michigan astronomer Hazel M. Losh says.

"On this day, the sun will rise and set almost exactly at the east and west points, and the day and night will be said to be of equal lengths."

However, because of atmospheric refraction which bends the sun's rays, the equal day and night come three days before the vernal equinox. Professor Losh explains.

The full moon on March 24 will be of "special significance, for this is the one that sets Easter," the U-M astronomer notes.

"The date for this important religious festival was set by the Council at Nicaea in 325 AD as the first Sunday after the first full moon that follows the vernal equinox."

"Consequently, the full moon of March 24 puts Easter on March 26, which as we know is an early date."

The earliest date that Easter can come is March 22 — the last time it happened was in 1816 and will not happen again until 2285. The latest possible Easter date is Apr. 25 — it occurred in

1943 and will again in 2038.

Prof. Losh notes that "the full moon of March 24 will go into total lunar eclipse, but, unfortunately, this eclipse will not be visible from this part of the world."

During March, she says, two new spring constellations will be coming into view. "The first to look for is Bootes, the giant Bear Driver. This figure is easily recognized by its kiltlike outline and the bright orange star Arcturus in the tail of the kite."

"It represents the figure of a mighty man in a running position. In one hand he holds a staff or spear, and in the other which is uplifted he holds the leash of his Hunting Dogs, Canes Venatici, identified by a bright star below the handle of the Big Dipper."

"Arcturus is one of the bright gems in the heavens during the spring and summer evenings. It shines brilliantly above the northeastern horizon, being the first of the stars to break through the twilight."

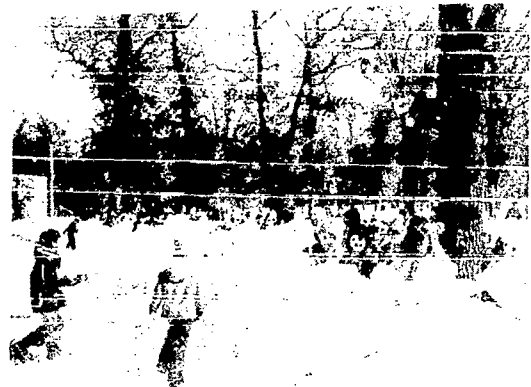
The other new spring constellation, rising at about the same time as Bootes but farther toward the south, is Virgo. The Virgin. "It is a long constellation, its stars roughly outlining a human figure," Prof. Losh says. "Its brightest star is Spica, easily located by continuing the sweep of the Big Dipper handle through Arcturus on to this star, the only bright one in the area."

As for planets, Prof. Losh says Venus is emerging as an evening planet in the west. Jupiter is riding high in the sky near the meridian at sunset, followed by Mars 30 degrees away. The gibbous moon will pass Jupiter on March 16, Mars on March 19, and Saturn on March 21.

FOE Auxiliary 3465 News

Notice to all members, our next meeting will be changed to Thursday, March 30, 1978 at 7:00 p.m. We are still asking for papers for the paper drive that is still on. We had a very nice turn-out for our last meeting. Keep up the good work.

Wilma Sunday



BUILD SNOW FORT—The Elementary school fort was about 40 x 60 feet after all of us kids built on it. We have enjoyed the fort. It was a good big fort until some unpleasant kids came and broke it down. Now the first and second graders are trying to fix the fort. It will have to be built over again.

(Written by Robin Lozon and Dairyn Grant)



JUNIOR DEPUTY CLASS—On March 9, 1978, the Grayling Elementary School had a Junior Deputy class by the prosecuting attorney. The speaker was Mr. Kent. Being a prosecutor is harder than most people think. Sometimes it takes only a few days. But sometimes it takes a few weeks. But it looks fun. So watch out, all you crime people, because they are out to get you! We asked Mr. Kent a lot of questions about the laws. We found out a lot of things.

In the picture are Mr. Kent, Pepper Gorton, Kim Burpee, and Larry Akers.

(Written by Chris Morgan and Jerid Baxter)

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

March 17, 1941—The National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C., is opened by President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

March 18, 1931—The first electric shavers are introduced for use by American men.

March 19, —This is the date when the swallows traditionally return to San Juan Capistrano Mission in California after migrating north from Mexico.

March 20, 1852—"Uncle Tom's Cabin," Harriet Beecher Stowe's stirring story about slavery, is published for the first time in book form.

March 21, 1790—Thomas Jefferson of Virginia becomes the first U.S. Secretary of State in the Cabinet of George Washington.

March 22, 1794—Congress enacts legislation prohibiting slave trading with foreign countries.

March 23, 1933—The German Reichstag gives Adolf Hitler "blanket powers" for the next four years.

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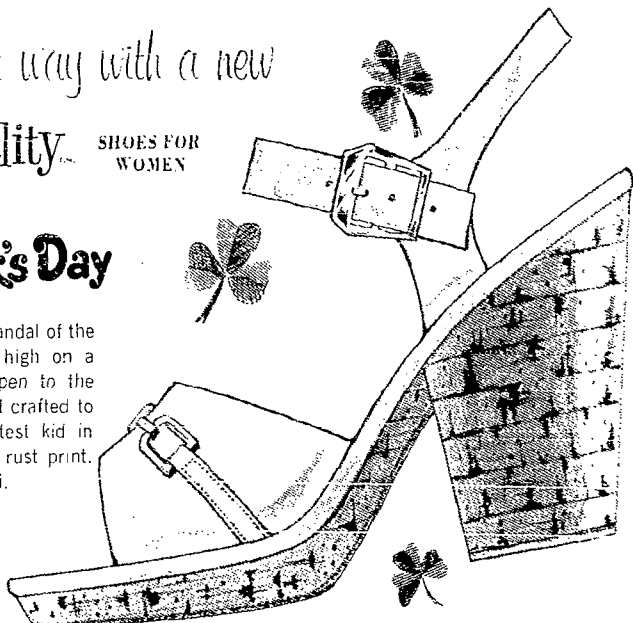
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*Last year 454 Grayling School children and 230 Fred-eric children benefited from our local RIF Program.

Our deadline for matching Federal Funds is the end of March. Your Contribution is needed now.

Please send your check to: READING IS FUNDAMENTAL, Grayling State Bank, P.O. Box 489, Grayling, Mich. 49738.

The Crawford County RIF Committee
Mary Phelps, President



NOTICE-SETTLEMENT DAY

The South Branch Township Board will meet at 7:30 p.m. on March 21, 1978 to settle and balance accounts of the Township. Any unpaid bills will be accepted at this time.

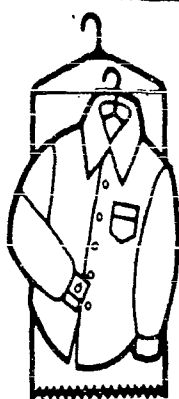
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YOUR WEEK AHEAD By DAMIS

Forecast Period
Mar. 19 - 25

ARIES
Mar. 21-Apr. 19

The Friday full moon may bring some doubts as to the motives of another.

TAURUS
Apr. 20-May 20

Discretion is called for in relationship. Avoid the criticism of co-workers. Be safety conscious.

GEMINI
May 21-June 20

Silly arguments could spoil a date with your sweetheart. Don't take things too seriously.

MOONCHILD
June 21-July 22

Tend to the needs of family and control the tendency to emotional outbursts.

LEO
July 23-Aug. 22

A traffic snarl makes tempers short. Patience and consideration of others brings rewards.

VIRGO
Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Take inventory of financial resources and make sure all obligations are met. Clear up old debts.

LIBRA
Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Calm and objective discussion with someone close clears up what has seemed like an insurmountable problem.

SCORPIO
Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Take the middle path when co-workers start fussing and feuding. Gossip makes the fire flare.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22-Dec. 21

You have some great ideas for strengthening a group or organization. Put them to work. They need you.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22-Jan. 19

The opening you've been waiting for appears likely. Make your presence known, and let your qualifications show.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 20-Feb. 18

The long planned trip develops a few snags. Don't despair. These are just temporary upsets.

PISCES
Feb. 19-Mar. 20

It is wise to take steps to protect investments or property. Some confusion arises in financial dealings.

Editor's Mailbox

To the Editor:
Why didn't President Carter level with the American people in his recent "fireside chat" concerning the proposed Panama Canal treaties? The new pact does not guarantee United States naval vessels priority passage in times of necessity or an "unimpaired" U.S. right to defend the waterway if it comes under Panama.

He gave us his interpretation of some of the treaty's provisions, but Panamanian ideas differ markedly. With such ambiguous language, who is right?

How can we trust General Torrijos? He makes no secret of his Communist sympathies. He established his iron-clad rule of Panama in a military coup more than 10 years ago. All opponents of his regime have been silenced. Panamanian citizens do not enjoy individual liberty and free speech. All opposing political parties are banned. Torrijos' poor management has bankrupt Panama and it owes the U.S. and other countries more than \$3.5 billion. Forty percent of his annual budget alone goes to pay the interest on loans.

Threats that we will no longer be able to operate the canal if the new treaties are not ratified seem to be the only motivation for the pact. The best interests of this country, its security and future economic stability should be the main consideration. Most Americans oppose ratification. Hopefully, U.S. Senators will reflect the opinions of their constituents and vote "no."

Bill Johns
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Nurses To Meet

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Guest speaker will be David Hickman, Nurse Practitioner. All nurses are welcome.



Fairmont Wagon

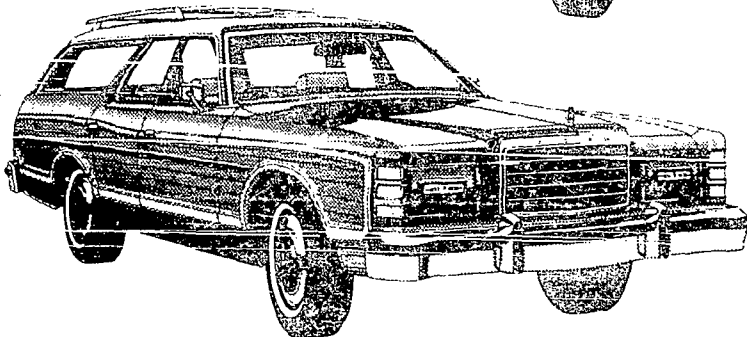
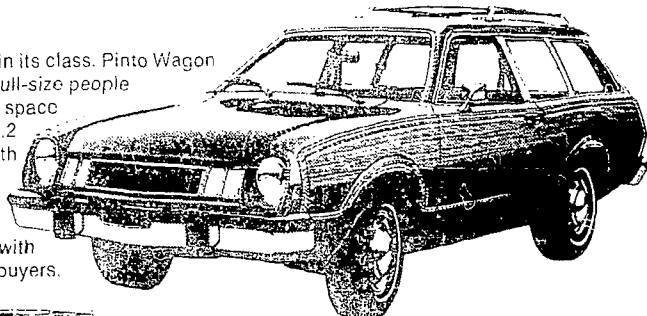
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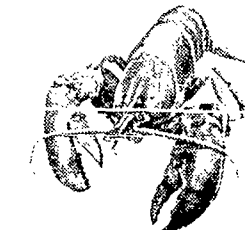
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After the dinner, the Leprechauns have "serious" shenanigans planned.

Members of Grayling Lodge #356, F & AM, bring your families, members of Grayling Chapter #83, bring your families. Bring some friends, but we will need to know how many.

Please call Sharon Allen at 348-5133, or Elsie Janson at 348-5571 or 348-5572; or Harold Kauffman at 348-8920.

See you March 18th, at the Masonic Temple.

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Rod Brown

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schools rather than the less-populated school districts located in the U.P. and Northern Lower Peninsula.

"I intend to work to see that Northern and Upper Michigan schools get their fair share of the state's educational dollars," he vowed.

"The Legislature will be dealing with these and other questions during the coming legislative session. I want to be there to make sure our common sense approach to government is heard, understood, and included in the final vote," Brown concluded.

With his wife Leone and the two youngest of their seven children, Brown resides in Gaylord. Before becoming executive assistant to Davis in 1970, he managed a family-owned laundry in Northern Michigan.

He is past chairman of the Otsego County Republican Party, and has long been active in various political areas, both locally and at the state level.

Mercy Hospital News

The following are among the patients admitted to the hospital during the past week: Ginger Outman, Kathy McPherson, Ana Williamson, Steven Shippy, and Rita Smith, all of Grayling; Carolyn DeMoines and Patricia Short of Frederic.

Those released included: Cecilia DeLaurier, Tammie McKain, Richard Harcourt, James Crawford, Ginger Outman, Delbert Anteau, John Morrill, Irene Stephan, Ilene Howard, Florence Johnson, Kathy McPherson, Steven Shippy and Ana Williamson, all of Grayling; Denise Smuck and Erna Schorack of Frederic.

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2. Grayling VV	24 1/2
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High Game: R. Sloan, 232; R. Mudge, 224; T. Grant, 206.	

Triangle League	
1. Tim Francis R.E.	117 1/2
2. Russ' Dry Wall	116
3. Arrowhead	91
4. Moose II	82 1/2
5. Muriel's Beauty Salon	80 1/2
6. Muriel's Beauty Salon	74 1/2
7. Wee Three	69
8. Plaza Bar	66
High Series: D. Canfield, 659; B. Reichelderfer, 591; C. Marshall, 561.	
High Game: D. Canfield, 221 & 218; D. Canfield, 218; M. Hettlinger, 220; C. Marshall, 210.	

Northwest League	
1. The Grandmas	28
2. Crawford Co. Glass	27
3. Eagle Point Sports	23
4. Northern Pines	23
5. Laurine's	23
6. Milltown Refuse	19
7. Wag-on-Inn	12
8. Russ' Dry Wall	7
High Game: V. Henning, 223; J. Hinds, 190; M. Wosker, 189; S. Eller, 189.	
High Series: M. Wosker, 537; V. Henning, 528; B. Hessel, 500.	

Cannon Ballers	
1. Francis Real Estate	18
2. C. F. Fick	17
3. Flowers by Debbie	15
4. Eagle Point Sports	13
5. R. H. Sports	13
6. LP Plastics	9
High Series: Girls: S. Robinson, 306; D. Kitchen, 302; J. Blinn, 295.	
High Game: Girls: S. Robinson, 126; J. Blinn, 125; D. Kitchen, 117.	
High Series: Boys: R. Grant, 438; D. DeLaurier, 341; J. Gardner, 333.	
High Game: Boys: R. Grant, 160; P. Zill, 145; J. Gardner, 144.	

National League, 1st Division	
1. D. J. Sells	26
2. Denton's Ace Hardware	24
3. Holiday Inn	19
4. Wonder Muffler	18
5. Budweiser	17
6. Bear Archery	17
7. Carlisle Pulp Co.	17
8. Ben Franklin Family Center	9
High Series: W. Hennart, 605; R. Mudge, 591; P. Faustman, 586.	
High Game: P. Faustman, 226; W. Hennart, 224; D. Ray, 222.	

American League, 1st Division	
1. Uncle Al's	18
2. Moose Lodge	16
3. Clair's Standard Service	15
4. Millikin's Construction	15
5. Sandy's Value Homes	15
6. Ray's Canvas Livery	14
7. Rochelle's Party Store	14
8. Sawyer's Tree Service	13
High Series: B. Tarr, 584; D. LaMotte, 563; L. Davis, 559.	
High Game: C. Porter, 215; D. Henning, 208; H. Baker, 203.	

American League, 2nd Division	
1. Union 76	34
2. Parker Surveying	26
3. Moose Lodge	24
4. Hospital	20
5. Wilke Carpet Service	18
6. LP Plastic #2	16 1/2
7. LP Plastic #1	15 1/2
8. McDonald's	6
High Series: A. Stephenson, 597; N. Theaker, 569; J. Ely, 553.	
High Game: A. Stephenson, 222; N. Theaker, 218; J. Ely, 216.	

Recreation League	
1. R.H. Sports Center	35
2. Coe's Market	35
3. Muriel's Beauty Salon	30
4. Olson's	28
5. Bay City Times	27
6. Al's Shirt Shop	27
7. Hartman's	24
8. Pine Aire Motel	23
9. Grayling Power	22
10. Glen's Market	21
11. Grayling Bank	20
12. Arrowhead Inn	20
13. Marilyn's Hair Boutique	17
14. Timberline Village	7
High Series: C. Stannard, 525; B. Kinsman, 520; J. Trenary, 503.	
High Game: B. Kinsman, 211; J. Trenary, 207; C. Stannard, 187.	

Pioneer League	
1. Grayling Painting	25
2. Al's Gals	22
3. McLean's ProMart	22
4. Dawson's	20
5. Cornell Agency	19
6. Avalanche	17
7. Millikin Construction	16
8. Soroson Agency	16
High Series: D. Anthony, 536; B. Donnelly, 501; L. Dandy, 498.	
High Game: D. Anthony, 214; J. Selthoff & C. Benson, 190; L. Dandy, 189.	

Nitelow Mixed Doubles	
1. TIA Associates	27
2. LP Plastics	26
3. AuSable Motel	22
4. Larry & Joan's	22
5. Wilke Carpets	19
6. Credit Union	18
7. Van's Lumber	16
8. Moore Automotive	10
High Series: Men: K. Moore, 540; M. Hettlinger, 527; D. Germain, 522.	
High Game: Men: D. Germain, 213; K. Moore, 200; R. Perez, 187.	
High Series: Women: J. Arwood, 523; M. Perez, 475; A. Moore, 461.	
High Game: Women: J. Arwood, 211; M. Perez, 176; A. Moore, 173.	

Sunday Early Bird Mixed Doubles	
1. Bear Archery	35
2. Fredrick Fishery	31 1/2
3. Mar-Jon Sawmills	31
4. Mill-Town Realty	25
5. Shady Acres	20
6. Bill's Laundry	18
7. Big Wheel	11 1/2
High Series: Men: D. Ray, 517; L. Baker, 504; T. Ockerman, 501.	
High Game: Men: B. Hartig, 195; D. Ray, 190; T. Ockerman, 184.	
High Series: Women: J. Eberts, 464; M. Smith, 428; R. Hudson, 393.	
High Game: Women: J. Eberts, 182; R. Hudson, 158; M. Smith, 157.	

Sunday Afternoon Fun League	
1. Spive's	26
2. Miller Hardware	24
3. Grayling Mercantile	21
4. Lakeview Stables	18
5. Colleen Excavating	17
6. Northwest Plumbing	14
7. Legion Lanes	13
8. Rucivilli's Pizza	9
High Series: Women: V. Middleton, 484; J. Hessel, 466; D. Fairbanks, 442.	
High Game: Women: V. Middleton, 177; J. Hessel, 175; R. Watts, 171.	
High Series: Men: C. Baron, 578; H. Baker, 530; G. Sawyer, 508.	
High Game: Men: C. Baron, 206; C. Porter, 191; H. Baker & C. Baron, 190.	

Sunday Hite Mixed Doubles	
1. Spive's	28 1/2
2. Bear Archery #1	27
3. Bear Archery #2	27
4. Flowers by Josie	26
5. Pizza Castle #2	16
6. Pizza Castle #1	16
7. Moshier's Sales & Service	14 1/2
8. Wagon Inn	13
High Series: Men: B. Reichelderfer, 542; T. Grant, 514; T. Francis, 512.	
High Game: Men: C. Walls, 201; T. Grant, 191; R. Sloan, 189.	
High Series: Women: E. Hessel, 531; S. Robinson, 478; L. Mathey, 452.	
High Game: Women: E. Hessel, 203; S. Robinson, 187; B. Grant, 178.	

Coffee League	
1. Red's Party Store	23
2. McDonald's	22
3. Moshier's Sales & Service	20
4. AuSable-Manistee Realty	19
5. Grayling Pharmacy	17
6. Women of the Moose	16
7. Lambert Builders	14
8. Callahan's Sunoco	13
High Game: B. DeHart, 191; J. Hessel, 185; J. Fye, 179.	
High Series: B. DeHart, 481; J. Fye, 475; J. Hessel, 463.	

Little Rascals	
1. Moshier's	14
2. Foodland	12
3. Grayling 4-H	11 1/2
4. Carol's Mobil	9
5. Down River Pines	8 1/2
6. Wagon Inn	7
7. Milltown Meats	6
8. Bill's Laundry	4
High Game: Girls: A. Small, 134 & 129; Y. Moshier, 103.	
High Series: Girls: A. Small, 263; S. Campbell, 194; Y. Moshier, 169.	
High Game: Boys: C. Geldet, 143; R. Ockerman, 107; K. Hudson, 103.	
High Series: Boys: E. Seidel, 207; K. Hudson, 198; J. Renaud, 194.	

Youth Bowling - Pin Pals	
1. Comfort Center	19
2. Legion Lanes	10
3. Down River Pines	15
4. Family Shoe Box	15
5. McDonald's	12
6. Legion Auxiliary	5
High Game: Girls: L. LaMotte, 128; K. Kibbe, 121; De Lowe, 120.	
High Series: Girls: L. LaMotte, 356; C. Canfield, 336; D. Lawe, 308.	
High Game: Boys: R. Grant, 136; R. Holtzman, 130; M. Baker, 126.	
High Series: Boys: M. Baker, 353; R. Holtzman, 333; R. Grant, 332.	

Senior Citizens Bowling League	
1. ProMart	68
2. Larry & Joan's Place	65
3. Spike's	63 1/2
4. Glen's Market	61
5. 1st Savings	58 1/2
6. Mac's Drug	46
7. New York Life Insurance	30
8. R. H. Sports	24
High Series: Men: E. Schramm, 527; T. Tost, 525; R. Zalc, 497.	
High Game: Men: T. Tost, E. Schramm, N. Schurleff, 191; N. Hohner, R. Zalc, 177; H. Schmidt & R. Gunderson, 170.	
High Series: Women: J. Laskowski, 495; M. Frankentield, 458; E. Schmidt, 401.	
High Game: Women: J. Laskowski, 190; M. Frankentield, 161; E. Schmidt, 158.	



CELEBRATE 1st ANNIVERSARY—DiPonio Ford of Grayling celebrated its first birthday recently, culminated by a drawing for door prizes last Thursday. Walt Nowak (second from left), Chamber of Commerce Manager, is shown drawing Betty Leslie's name - she was the lucky winner of the first prize, a 1902 Miniature Model T, fully-equipped and ready for the road. The second prize, a 19" Color TV was won by Melody Barkley while the third prize, a digital clock radio, was captured by Dave Ross. All the winners are Grayling residents. Also shown are DiPonio salesman Phil Breen (left) and Jim McCarthy (second from right), along with owner Mike DiPonio. Over 300 visitors registered for the prizes awarded during the celebration. (Joe Schrader Photo)

PROPOSED USE HEARING

There will be a Proposed Use Hearing, Federal Revenue Sharing March 25, 1978 at 7:00 p.m., Beaver Creek Township Hall. Title 9 period October 1, 1977 - October 1978. Expected entitlement, \$2707.00. Citizens may make written or oral comment on proposed use of these funds at this meeting.

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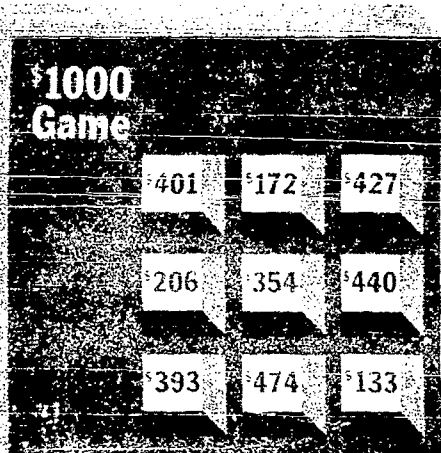
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KATHY DUVALL was another lucky winner, shown here receiving a \$50 check she "scratched" her way to from Bart Munson.



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I-69 plot

To lead, or not to lead.

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The scene was the Eaton County Courthouse in Charlotte, Mich. The occasion was the monthly meeting of county commissioners, and the plot centered around the proposed routing of I-69 through the county.

Citizens were present to oppose putting the highway through prime farmland, and their state senator was there, too, to plead their case.

Early in the highway routing game, when the county and other local units favored the route, Sen. Richard Allen explained, he had remained silent although he was early concerned about putting an expressway through good cropland. Then, when the commissioners' seemed to be moving toward opposition, the senator joined the fray, displaying his opposition with verve, even suggesting, via Senate resolution, that preservation of cropland should be a primary consideration of highway location — perhaps the controlling criterion.

The senator's role, as he explained it, was to fight for his constituents' wishes among the jungles of the state bureaucracy; thus, if his constituents opposed the highway, he would lead their fight.

However, another vote on the highway was scheduled that day in the Charlotte courthouse, and Sen. Allen explained that although he opposed its location, if the commissioners should vote in favor of the highway's location, then he, as their senator, would just as strenuously lead their fight in favor of the highway.

Here, in a specific circumstance, was that age-old and probably unanswerable question about representative government:

Should an elected representative reflect the wishes of his specific constituents, regardless of his individual conviction ... or should the representative act in a way that he perceives to be best for the good of all, even if constituent wishes appear to be in conflict?

Sen. Allen appeared to have solved that dilemma completely ... at least in the I-69 case: He would fight against the highway, in pursuance of the voted wishes of his constituent commissioners; but, if the commissioners changed their minds, he would fight just as hard

in opposition.

It's a tough question for an elected official to answer. In my experience, most seem to answer it in the same way as Sen. Allen. Generally, it's politically safer, too.

There are a couple of fallacies with this approach. One is the difficulty in finding exactly how the people feel. Most elected officials look to other elected officials, as Sen. Allen did in this case; if the county commissioners wanted it, then so did the senator, or if township trustees voted for it, then so would the senator. Other representatives depend on polls, or constituent contact. Perhaps these measurements are as good as possible, but they're all imperfect. And frequently are dangerously misleading.

The second fallacy comes out like this: If an elected official is merely to reflect how the constituency feels about some issue, then it really doesn't make any difference who is elected, because they'll all act the same.

Of course, there is yet another problem; sometimes the constituency, for one reason or another, is out-and-out wrong, but they want to be wrong. The reflection approach to government, for example, most likely permitted segregation to exist for so long, being broken finally — such as it was — only by those in authority who were willing to take unpopular stands.

My approach would have to be different, which is why I'll never get very far in politics. Elected officials would act in accordance with what they feel is right for the common good.

The system, then, takes care of itself. If the official is wrong too many times, he'll be kicked out of office.

The essence of the political art is to be just far enough ahead of the people to provide true leadership, but not far enough ahead to get lost ... to provide the public what it needs just before it knows what it needs.

The reflection approach, it seems to me, is too much like the old story about the French revolutionist, who was standing on a corner when a mob of people went by. Excusing himself, he explained:

"There go the people. I must follow them, for I am their leader."

VA Spends \$337,169 In Crawford Co.

Veterans Administration spending will increase slightly in Michigan this year, Frank Kilcullen, director of the VA regional office in Detroit said today. The VA's fiscal 1978 budget includes expenditures in Michigan totaling \$572,563,000 for facilities, operation and benefits to veterans and dependents.

Last year the VA spent \$561,564,825 in Michigan.

"Michigan veterans, widows and other survivors received \$282,731,524 through VA compensation and pension programs," Kilcullen said. "Education, training and vocational rehabilitation allowances paid in the state amounted to \$124,819,292."

Other state expenditures were \$99,876 for the direct home loan program; \$122,381,992 for operating the state's regional office and five hospitals and one outpatient clinic; \$30,331,526 for insurance and indemnities, and \$1,200,615 for construction.

Less will be spent on the education program this year as fewer Vietnam Era veterans will be attending schools with GI Bill help. Medical operating costs will rise and insurance and indemnities.

The total expenditure in Crawford County was \$337,169, with \$217,703 going to compensation and pension, \$86,111 for Readjustment and Voc Rehab., and \$23,355 for insurance and indemnities.

Nutrition: Misinformation Robs Extension Home Economist

Food misinformation is actually robbing Americans and consumers' lack of nutrition knowledge and false claims made in advertisements and other communications media are two of the major areas of misinformation.

Those most in need of good food are the ones likely to fall for harmful claims.

Newsweek magazine estimated Americans spent \$15 billion a year on health foods, vitamin and mineral supplements, books promoting fad diets, and other gimmicks. The weight control business alone may gobble up \$10 billion of that \$15 billion figure.

In addition to costing money, nutrition nonsense is robbing health. In a recent congressional hearing, Dr. George Briggs, a medical doctor at the University of California, estimated that \$30 billion to \$75 billion of America's total medical bill could be traced to poor nutrition; and he attributes most of this poor nutrition to misinformation.

So beware of food fallacies — they waste your money and could ruin your health. We can get all the nutrients we need by eating a varied diet of foods from the four food groups that include fruits and vegetables, breads and cereals, milk and milk products, and the protein group. These choices are available at your local grocery store.

Energy Program 4-H Agent Appointed for Six Counties

EAST LANSING — Elizabeth M. Morley has been appointed Cooperative Extension Service 4-H youth agent for Kalkaska, Antrim, Charlevoix, Crawford, Grand Traverse, and Roscommon counties, pending Michigan State University Board of Trustees' approval. She will serve as regional coordinator for the youth energy project.

Morley earned her bachelor's degree in natural resources and environmental education from MSU in 1977. While completing her schooling she taught outdoor education in Freemont, Ind., and was a summer camp counselor at Neebish Island, Mich.

In her new position, Morley will provide leadership in developing a special energy conservation project in the six counties. "The purposes of the project are to develop an energy conservation ethic among high school students and to reduce the energy consumption of students and their families," according to Dr. Lowell Rulhert, the project's statewide coordinator at MSU.

Morley's specific duties include: planning, organizing and implementing youth energy programs; recruiting and training volunteers; and working with schools and other community agencies.

The special 4-H project is funded on a pilot basis by the Department of Commerce and the Michigan Energy Extension Service. Michigan is one of 10 states to receive energy Extension Service funding from the U.S. Department of Energy.

To Televis State Cage Finals

MT. PLEASANT — "March Madness" is on its way again! Its high point will be the playing of the High School Basketball Finals on Saturday, March 18, in Ann Arbor's Crisler Arena. Again this year, viewers throughout the state can see all the action through both live and delayed broadcasts of the four games in Classes A, B, C, and D.

The Class B game will begin at 11 a.m., and the Class A game at 2:30 p.m. Stations carrying these games live include WCML-TV, Channel 6, Alpena; WCMU-TV, Channel 14, Mt. Pleasant; WKAR-TV, Channel 23, East Lansing; WGVC-TV, Channel 35, Grand Rapids; WUCM-TV, Channel 19, Saginaw; and WTUS-TV, Channel 56, Detroit.

The Class D game will be played at 7 p.m., followed by the Class C game at 8:40 p.m. These games will be aired live by Channel 6, Alpena, and by Channel 14, Mt. Pleasant. All other stations will delay the broadcast of these games until Sunday, March 10. Check local listings for correct times.

This year's High School Finals will take place during FESTIVAL '78, the fund-raising event of the year for PBS stations across the country. As a result, each participating station will present its own marathon activities during half-times and between games as part of the nationwide FESTIVAL '78 program.

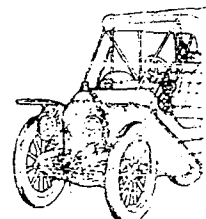
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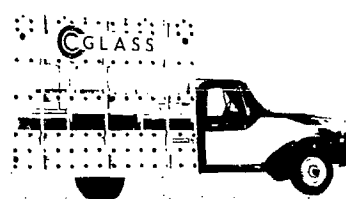
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ACCRA — Ghana's oldest citizen, 154-year-old Aba Odekye, died at her home village in the country's eastern region last week.

Shortly before she died, Odekye, whose eldest son is 94, said her secret of long life was to eat vegetables and palm oil soup, take plenty of long walks — and avoid sex.

This article was taken from the Tuesday, February 14, 1978 issue of the Honolulu Advertiser.

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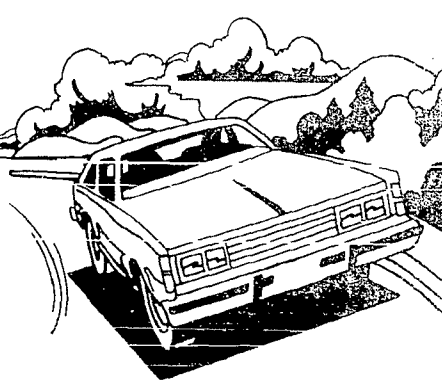
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Tommy Lozon, third grader at Grayling Elementary School, is shown presenting the Reading Is Fundamental book that he earned in Mrs. Shirley Linendoll, Grayling Elementary School Librarian. Tommy earned his R.I.F. book by first reading 5 approved books. However, instead of just keeping his book Tommy wanted to share it with everyone. Pete Ingvarsson, member of Crawford County R.I.F., is shown looking on as Tommy makes his presentation.

February "Outstanding" Students

The students pictured below were nominated by their teachers as "outstanding" students for the month of February, at the Grayling Middle School. Their selection was based on scholastic achievements, citizenship and outstanding efforts in the classroom. As a special treat, these students were taken to lunch at McDonald's.



6th GRADE—Selected from the 6th grade are: Kristy Ostrowski (upper left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ostrowski of 706 Chestnut; Denise Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Patton of Grayling; and Wayne Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ross of Grayling. Teresa Barber (lower left) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber of 700 Maple St.; Kristine Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Larson of Grayling and Nancy Marsack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marsack of Grayling.



7th GRADE—Selected from the 7th grade are: Joyce Stevens (upper left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stevens of 409 Plum St.; Denise Case, daughter of Mrs. Florence Case of Grayling; and Julie Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Murphy of Grayling. Karl Fox (lower left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox of 207 Oliver St. and Ron Duvall, son of Mrs. Shirley Duvall of 408 Spruce St.



8th GRADE—Selected from the 8th grade are: Kevin Dean (upper left), son of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Dean of 504 Peninsula and Bryan Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Patton of Grayling. Julie Moggo (lower left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moggo of 204 Spruce St.; Robyn Jorgensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jorgensen of Grayling and Ted Methner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Methner of Grayling.

Sweet Adelines Activities

Mid-Mitten Chapter held their weekly rehearsal Wednesday, March 8th, at the Roscommon High School. During the evening a story on slides was shown on preparing and doing performances. Since your reporter was absent, she missed this most helpful show.

Our Director has split our chorus into two groups and we are going to hold our own chorus competition as a way of preparation for the real thing. Jan Lorion and Paula Fuller will share in directing duties so John can judge. It should be fun and helpful too.

We were happy to formally accept Chrissie King as a member. So glad Chrissie was able to come back to us. Opal Phillips and Carol Hook are planning to formally join May 1st and plan to go with us to competition. We are so happy to have them. Lynn (Kim?) brought a guest, Pam, to visit... hope you return Pam.

Our March 18th coaching session has been postponed to a later date. April 8th has been set for our "Gong Show" to be held at the Roscommon High School. Any acts interested in performing should contact any Sweet Adeline. Tickets will be available in the near future.

Wildlife Week March 19-25

LANSING — More than 6,000 education packets have been distributed free of charge to teachers throughout the state by the Michigan United Conservation Clubs as part of the organization's observance of National Wildlife Week March 19-25.

Materials sent to teachers include two Wildlife Week posters, supplies of mini-posters for their students, a teacher's guide and wildlife games, curriculum suggestions for integrating information about wildlife into the school day and a copy of "Michigan Out-of-Doors," the monthly magazine published by MUCC.

Sponsored nationwide by the National Wildlife Federation every year since 1937, Wildlife Week this year has as its theme "Wildlife Needs You." The observance is sponsored in Michigan by MUCC, this state's affiliate of the National Wildlife Federation.

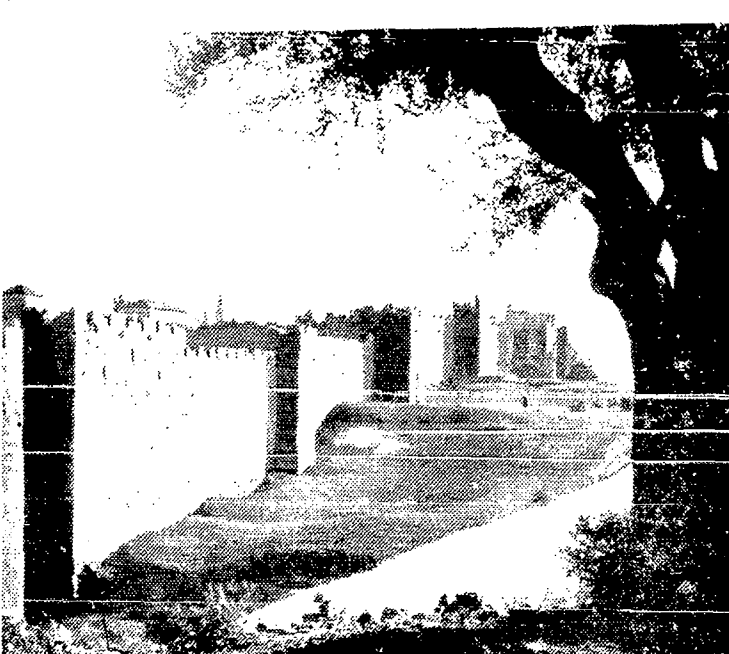
The emblem for the 1978 observance of Wildlife Week is the peregrine falcon. Once threatened with extinction, the peregrine, with a lot of help from falconers and their research efforts, now appears to be re-establishing its numbers. A striking picture of a peregrine is featured on the 1978 Wildlife Week poster.



Sure he will... walk straight and tall because the Easter Seal Society sparks the encouragement he needs to overcome his handicap. But, Easter Seals can accomplish only what you make possible.

GIVE TO Easter Seals

Attend the Church of Your Choice



thy king cometh



Amid joyous hosannas and waving of palm branches, He rode into the city of Jerusalem, past these same walls which are standing today.

Long ago in ancient Palestine, the prophet had heralded the coming of a king. But now few thought it more than the usual procession of some new earthly ruler. Yet no king ever came as He came. No king ever built such a kingdom.

This was the King of Heaven who rode into the hearts of men and built there a Kingdom of Love!

They crucified Him, but death could not stop His coming. He comes in every age to all who will believe. He comes to you.

Go to church this Palm Sunday, for "thy king cometh." Let the King of Heaven ride into your heart.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
John 6:22-59	John 8:1-11	John 8:12-20	John 8:21-30	John 8:31-47	John 8:48-59	John 9:1-5

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Grayling, Phone 348-2691
Rev. Thomas A. Neis
St. Mary's Mass Schedule
Sundays 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Confessions
Saturday—9 to 10 a.m., 4 to 5 p.m., and 8 to 9 p.m.
FREDERIC CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. Rex D. Phillips, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Midweek Prayer, Wed., 7 p.m.
Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Corner of North Down River Rd. and South Millikin Rd.
Pastor, John Peterson
Sunday
Church School 10 a.m.
Prayer 11 a.m.
Midweek Service, Prayer 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Harold Hazzard
Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Tues. Church School 3 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
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Pastor Robert Barnett
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Bible Class Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
St. Francis' Episcopal Church
M-72 West
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Sunday Service at 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Church School and Supervised Nursery at 10:30.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Frederic
Pastor Robert Taylor
Sunday
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer & Bible Study at 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Youth Meetings
Juniors-grades 3-8 6:30 p.m.
Seniors-grades 9-12 7:30 p.m.

Christ Missionary Church
Minister H.A. Hennig
4 Mi. East of Frederic on Co. Rd. 612 in Maple Forest Twp.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
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Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Winter 7 p.m.
Summer 7 p.m.

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Sabbath School 9:45 a.m.
Church Service 11:00 a.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30 p.m.
All are welcome.
Pastor, Doug Matasilo
Christian Science Society
206 Fifth St.
Gaylord, Michigan
Church Services 10:30 a.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Steven A. Bach
911 Elm St., Phone 348-7132
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 7 p.m.
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An organization of Laypeople on call, willing to perform a ministry of service within the area.

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MT. HOPE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
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Pastor Paul Weber
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Sunday Service 11 a.m.
Sunday School Bible Class, 9:45 a.m.
Saturday Evening Service, 8 p.m.

MICHELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST
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Editor's Mailbox

Recall — Part II
The Issues — "So Called"

Early in January of 1978, an orchestrated and well organized petition drive began in Crawford County. Its avowed purpose is to recall the County's Prosecuting Attorney.

The circulators and supporters of this effort cite four reasons which they advocate are sufficient to warrant the Prosecutor's recall. Never mind for the moment that no proofs in support of these charges have been forthcoming.

The allegations, taken from an actual petition, are as follows:

That the Prosecutor, Thomas F. Kent, has:

I. Dismissed and plea bargained criminal cases without sufficient cause;

II. Is inexperienced, ineffective and ill-prepared in Court;

III. Is consistently unavailable to law officers and citizens;

IV. Used his office and time for his own financial gain on the Department of Social Services building project and leasing.

We will deal with each issue separately, in the order presented.

I. PLEA BARGAINING: Leon Jaworski, the Watergate Prosecutor, quotes from the Report of an American Bar Association's Committee on Criminal Trials to explain his position on the plea bargaining process as follows:

Leon Jaworski, "The Right and The Power," 1976, pgs. 159-160: "Trials, however, by no means represent the major activity of a prosecutor in the administration of criminal justice in the United States. The vast majority of criminal cases are disposed of without trial as the result of guilty pleas, and, if the system as a whole is working properly, this is as it should be. The process of plea discussion serves important social interests and is one of the most important social functions of both prosecuting and defense counsel. Properly conducted, plea discussion may well produce a result approximating closely, but informally and more swiftly, the result which ought to ensue from a trial, while avoiding most of the undesirable aspects of that ordeal. Disposition without trial of course provides a substantial cost saving to the accused and to the public in terms of the time of lawyers and all other participants. Although the cost saving alone would not be an appropriate justification for abandoning the legal process, if it were achieved at the expense of fairness or equal justice, from the standpoint of the objectives of the criminal law, a fair and just disposition of a case without trial is obviously preferable to its disposition by trial, as is true in civil litigation. The speed and certainty of a disposition by plea promotes deterrence, a basic goal of criminal justice."

We adopt and approve that explanation.

Given that plea negotiations are an integral part of the criminal justice process, who outside the Prosecutor's Office, the Defense Bar or the Court has sufficient legal training to make the allegation that the Prosecutor has "dismissed and plea bargained criminal cases without sufficient cause..."?

What specific instances have been cited in support of such a proposition? What attorney, prosecutor or Judge has lent credence to the charge? How does the charge comport with the Prosecutor's record of more than fifty (50) felony convictions and half again that number of misdemeanor convictions during his first full year in office?

The Prosecutor is the Chief Law Enforcement Officer of his County by constitutional provision. As such he is empowered with sufficient discretion to permit him to accomplish his constitutional obligations. Do the signatories to the petition really expect the County of Crawford County to accept that which they advocate as an implication, which is that they should be given the opportunity to second guess the Prosecutor on a case by case basis? We think not.

II. INEXPERIENCED, INEFFECTIVE AND ILL-PREPARED IN COURT:

We begin our answer to this charge by pointing to the inviolate laws of the market place which would dictate that any business providing a service would soon be out of business if such allegations were in fact true.

We again point to last year's conviction record. How can we be inexperienced, ineffective and ill-prepared and achieve that many convictions? Query: 1) What former juror has been publicly heard to make such an allegation with reference to a specific instance or case? 2) Who outside the legal profession is equipped with education and training to make such a judgment? How would we maintain the active private practice we enjoy if we were publicly perceived to be as deficient as this charge suggests?

III. CONSISTENTLY UNAVAILABLE TO CITIZENS AND LAW OFFICERS:

In a letter published in the Chicago Herald Times on January 19, 1978, Grayling Chief of Police, Peter Stephan stated:

"Unavailability of the Prosecutor has not been a problem, in so far as the City Police have been concerned."

We have repeatedly stated publicly that we are always on call and available to the police and members of the public. We have never declined to schedule an appointment for any person requesting one.

We are in the Courthouse at a minimum of three (3) days a week as Prosecutors. We may be reached during the week at the Prosecutor's Office or at our private office. The telephone numbers for both offices are freely published and available. Both the City Police and County Sheriff's Department have been provided with our home phone numbers for weekend and after-hours occasions. If we should both be out of town at once, the police are routinely provided with the phone numbers at our destination. Additionally, a special Prosecutor from Roscommon County is available at all times in our absence.

IV. USED HIS OFFICE FOR PERSONAL FINANCIAL GAIN: RE: THE SOCIAL SERVICES BUILDING PROJECT:

The Social Services Building Project has been examined and publicly reviewed with more thoroughness than any issue, other than the Bear Archery Strike, which we are aware of in the past three years.

At no time has any person with knowledge of our involvement in this project ever presumed to even allege, let alone attempt to prove, that we involved ourselves as Prosecutors or the Prosecutor's Office in the Project.

After a thorough review of the matter, the State of Michigan announced that it would honor its contract with the Star Enterprises, of which we are partners. Does it not stand to reason that if the State had found impropriety of any sort, it would have sought to break its contract with us?

Furthermore, we have thoroughly reviewed the applicable law and find it to be favorable to the idea that no conflict existed. Because such an assurance might seem self-serving to many, on December 12, 1977, we requested an opinion by the Attorney General for the State of Michigan. We still await that opinion.

In closing, we ask each of you two final questions: Where is the substantive issue upon which a responsible elector can reasonably be expected to base a vote in support of the proposition that the Prosecutor should be removed from office? Presuming that even one of these issues is deemed sufficient for scrutiny by an elector or group of electors, we ask, what evidence or facts have been provided you to support these allegations. We urge your close attention to these inquiries.

Legal Notice

To the Owner or Owners of any and all interests in, or Liens upon the Lands herein described:

TAKE NOTICE, that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof, at any time within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Registrar in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with 50 per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges: Provided, That with respect to purchasers at the tax sale held in the years 1938, 1939 and 1940 the sum stated in such notice as a condition of reconveyance shall only be all sums paid as a condition of the tax title purchase, together with 10 per centum additional thereto. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land: State of Michigan, County of Crawford, Lots 30 and 31, Northern Multiple St. Louis Township, according to plat thereof. (This parcel is an improved residential parcel.) Amount paid - \$92.34. Tax for 1973.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$143.51 plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Is/Russell Karkick
Is/Viola Karkick
3823 East Utah Road
Bay City, Michigan

To George M. Peterson, Jr., D.D.S., Box 175, Baldwin, Michigan 49304 last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of said County.

Russell Karkick and Viola Karkick grantees under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

16-23-30-6

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford
Michigan National Bank, a National Banking Association,
Plaintiff

vs.

Louis A. Rymarczuk, Hazel A. Rymarczuk, Twin Peaks Joint Venture and Ostling Surveys, Inc., Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a Judgment of the Circuit Court, County of Crawford dated the 24th day of October, 1977 in the above entitled cause directing the sale of certain real estate, I shall expose for sale at public sale to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse in the Village of Grayling, in Crawford County, that being the place of holding of Circuit Court in said County on the 2nd day of May, 1978 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate: all of a parcel of land situated in the township of Frederic, County of Crawford and State of Michigan described as follows:

Lot 31B of the Plat of Uppnorthe #3 as recorded in Liber 3, page 29, Crawford County Records.

The time fixed for redemption to the property is six (6) months from the date of sale.

L. Curtis Haas, Sheriff
Crawford County, Michigan
Dated: February 14, 1978

Douglas S. Bishop, Hubbell, Blakelee & Houlihan Attorneys for Plaintiff
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford

Norman G. Dupule, Plaintiff,

vs.

James P. Michaels and Catherine P. Michaels, his wife, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE

Judgment having been rendered against Defendants James P. Michaels and Catherine P. Michaels, his wife, and in favor of Plaintiff, Norman G. Dupule, in the Crawford County Circuit Court on February 6, 1978, in the amount of Forty-Nine Thousand, Eight Hundred Fifty-Nine Dollars and Sixty-Eight Cents (\$49,859.68) together with interest and Plaintiff's costs, and Foreclosure Sale being ordered by the said Crawford County Circuit Court on that day, and the below-described real estate being the subject of said foreclosure action and said Foreclosure Sale.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority of the Crawford County Circuit Court and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of March, 1978 at 10:00 a.m., said property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at the main entrance of the Crawford County Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Michigan, of the premises described in the Complaint for Foreclosure or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on the unpaid portion of the Judgment with interest at 6 percent per annum and all legal costs, expenses and charges, including attorney fees allowed by law and sums which may be paid by the Plaintiff or his attorney to protect his interest in the premises, which said premises being described as follows:

Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, Michigan, described as all that part of the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 25 North, Range 3 West lying southwesterly of the right-of-way of Interstate 75 Highway containing 72.5 acres, more or less; together with an easement of ingress and egress from M-76 highway over the existing trail road located over the north 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 29, Town 25 North, Range 3 West being 33 feet in width.

The period of redemption expires six (6) months from the date of the sale.

Dated: March 6, 1978
Hess, Huss & Dossan
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford

The Grayling State Bank, a Michigan Banking Corporation,
Plaintiff,

vs.

Richard R. Sajdak, Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Land Contract made, executed and delivered by Defendant, Richard R. Sajdak, to the Plaintiff, The Grayling State Bank, dated July 3, 1975, and a Judgment of Foreclosure having been entered in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford on the 20th day of February, A.D., 1978, ordering that there is due to the Plaintiff, The Grayling State Bank, upon the said Land Contract dated July 3, 1975, the sum of Eleven Thousand, Seventy-One Dollars and Thirty-Eight Cents (\$11,071.38), including costs and attorney fees with interest thereon at the rate of seven percent (7%) per annum from the 20th day of February, A.D., 1978.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the terms of said Judgment and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April, 1978, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said Judgment will be enforced by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the northeast corner of the front door of the Crawford County Courthouse, in the City of Grayling, Michigan, that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held, of the premises described in said Judgment, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said Judgment with interest at seven percent (7%) per annum and all legal costs, expenses and charges including attorney fees allowed by law and also any sums which may be paid by the Plaintiff, The Grayling State Bank, to protect its interest in the premises, which said premises are described as follows:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) of Block Two (2) of Dilley's Addition to the Village of Frederic, Frederic Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The period of redemption expires six (6) months from the date of the sale.

Dated: March 6, 1978
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**House Follows Senate Lead;
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 Most Capitol observers
 figured that if the increased
 drinking age bills ever got
 out of committee in the
 House, they would easily
 win approval by the full
 House membership.
 They were right.
 On a vote of 73 to 28,
 members of the House voted
 to raise the minimum legal
 drinking age in Michigan
 from 18 to 19 as of December
 1st of this year.
 The Senate passed the
 bills (Senate Bills 31 and 32)
 last May.
 The bills would implement
 the 19-year-old drinking age
 limit for a trial period of
 three years. At the end of
 1981, an evaluation of the
 impact the higher drinking
 age has had on the problems
 of high school drinking and
 alcohol-related traffic acci-
 dents would be made. At
 that point, it would be de-
 cided whether the 19-year-
 old limit should remain per-
 manent, or whether the
 drinking age should be fur-
 ther adjusted upward or
 downward.
 Specifically - the bills
 would establish misdemea-
 nor penalties for anyone who
 gave alcohol to persons
 under 19, bought liquor de-
 spite being under 19, lied
 about their age to buy liquor,
 or furnished identification
 for use by others.
 Although a majority of the
 members of the Senate were
 pleased that the House finally
 decided to go along and
 give the higher drinking age
 a try, some remain worried
 that raising it to 19 isn't high
 enough to resolve the high
 school drinking problem,
 primarily because many 19-
 year-olds are still involved in

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"A Midsummer Dream"

Sweden, To Be Topic Of Grayling Thursday Night Series

On Thursday evening, March 16, the Grayling Community School Program will present the next exciting true-life adventure of their Fifth Annual Travel and Adventure Series. This program will feature Sweden and will be accompanied by live narrations by nationally recognized lecturer and photographer Ric Dougherty. The full length, full color documentary film of Sweden will begin at 8:00 p.m. in Grayling High School's Joseph Stripp Auditorium and tickets will be available at the door.

There is so much in Sweden to appreciate, enjoy and remember. In the capital city of Stockholm, you'll visit Deer Park and marvel at the floral beauty of the King's Garden. You'll see the Royal Palace and bustling Stockholm harbor, then take a bird's-eye look at the city and discover why it has been called the "Venice of the North."

As the skyline changes so do the habits of the people, from urban to rural. In the Swedish countryside the rhythms of nature are still strong. A visit to a Swedish village will allow you to experience a rugged, almost primitive way of life. You'll visit Gothenburg, Helsingborg, Malmö and Kiruna, the largest city in the world encompassing 3,000 square miles of wilderness in its borders.

One of the highlights of this Thursday evening's visit to Sweden will be a visit to Lapland. There you will see the ritual of marking young reindeer and meet a modern day Lapp family and see how they live in a most inhospitable climate. You'll end your journey in this colorful Scandinavian country with a ride down the Gota Canal from one end of Sweden to the other.

Senior Band

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PROGRAM

Viking Land - Concert March
Prime Time - Theme from the Tom Randall Show
First Suite in E-flat for Military Band - Gustav Holst
Chaconne, March
Piccolo Solo - Julie Wronner accompanied by L. J. Jackson
GHS Stage Band
Prayer of St. Gregory - Alan Houlihan performed by
Tom Whaley, Concert Soloist
Encore in Jazz - Vic Firth performed by
Dave Lindsay, Danne Drums, Todd Dun-Hay, Timpani,
Mike Sauer, Tom Toms, Steve Dean, Bongos
Frank Nichols, Inca Drum & Gong, Ed Abright, Conga Drum
Trisha Daley, Xylophone, Joan Albright, Xylophone
Finale from Symphony No. 3, Gustav Mahler
Lost in the Echoes - Rosemary Wolf
Original composition by GHS Sophomore
Concerto for Madison Avenue and Band - John Higgins
The Wiener Song - Mel Min - Group Put a Tie in
Your Mouth - I am Sick on Baritone - Goodness You
Feel Like a Nut - Pillsbury Says a Best Up on Label
Pick D. Johnson, Director

Whitetails

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Many local landowners have been helped out by providing feeding stations for deer throughout the winter months. Peter offered some words of caution about this endeavor though. "Unless a person is prepared to feed and continue to feed, the number of deer who may congregate to his feed area, he might just as well not start in the first place. Apparently, deer sensing the need for survival and assembling in large numbers, establish an 'information hierarchy' where the fight for life begins due to the survival of the fittest. Mature bucks and does not well, chasing away younger deer who end up better off for feeding and the feed station in the first place. Peter suggests that landowners feeding deer establish a number of feed stations, not just one, scattered about, and have enough feed to be able to accommodate all those who may come for dinner."

The D.N.R. estimates that the Crawford County deer population runs about 20 per square mile. Their goal is to raise that to 30. What the deer-off may amount to this winter is anybody's guess, right now. The Department may conduct a deer count search this spring. This would be from some indicator of deer's health toll. Another annual survey conducted by the D.N.R. is the Spring Autopsy. Starting March 15th and continuing through May, autopsies performed on deer over the State are an indicator of the general health condition of the deer herd.

Peter, stationed here in Grayling since 1972, has a Masters Degree in Outdoor Education from Michigan State University, where he had previously earned a Bachelor's Degree in Wildlife Management.

A look of deep concern comes over his face when discussing the problems local wildlife have experienced this winter.

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